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# 6 Peonies, Iris, Lillies Delphinums, Tulips, Pansies

**FALL 1930**  
**SPRING 1931**

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*Woodcrest Farm*

**Faribault :: L:IB Minnesota**

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**IMPORTANT**

Be sure to read this and the following page before ordering.

### **PRICES REDUCED**

In line with lower prices of labor, butter, eggs, many other grocery items, many dry goods items, etc., which either have gone into effect or will do so within the next six to twelve months we have reduced our prices on many items in this list from 10 to 50%. This will allow a smaller income to still cover cost of roots, bulbs or plants to beautify the home grounds.

Our 50 acre farm is two miles due north of the Court House on the paved Jefferson Highway (No. 1) which passes through our farm and past our home and gardens.

We sell thousands of pansy plants and cut flowers including tulips, iris, peonies, gladiolus, delphiniums, etc. Our first peonies, *Officinalis Rosea* and *Officinalis Rubra* bloom in time for Decoration Day, our late ones, *Etta*, *Rubra Superba* and *Grandiflora* and sometimes *Marie Lemoine* last until July 4th to 6th, so we have peonies continuously for about six

weeks. Our first gladiolus open just when the last peonies are done and last till October.

Our easily worked sandy loam soil produces wonderfully clean peony roots as well as fine iris roots and tulip and gladiolus bulbs.

We know the quality of our peony roots will please you for they are as fine and clean as can be grown anywhere.

## HOW TO PLANT

Set so eyes are not more than two inches below ground level. Pack soil well around roots but not too much around eyes. Cover first winter (after ground is frozen solid) with 3 to 4 inches of straw or litter. Remove early in Aprils.

## WHEN TO PLANT

September 15 till ground freezes in November. I consider October the best time to plant as then they usually bloom the first season. I do not advise spring planting unless done very early.

## SUBSTITUTION

Never except with your permission.

## OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee all roots true to name, but in any business a mistake is possible. If a customer receives a root from us that blooms untrue, we gladly send a true one, and you may also keep the mistaken one.

## SIZE OF ROOT

Careful experiments prove to us that the natural division with 3 to 5 eyes is the best size to plant. Such divisions trimmed back as we trim them before shipment will in three years give a fine large plant with nearly all new root growth that is superior to a small division or a large clump.

## HOW WE SHIP

We prepay postage or express on all peony shipments in the U. S. or Canada on orders of \$10.00 or over. On less than \$10.00 orders we will prepay postage if 10c, for each peony root is sent. Otherwise orders will be sent by express, charges collect.

## PRICES AND DISCOUNTS

Net cash before shipment. A deposit of 25 per cent will hold order till September 15, when balance is to be paid. When all cash is sent with order \$11.00 worth of roots may be selected for \$10.00; \$30.00 worth for \$25.00; \$65.00 worth for \$50.00; \$135.00 worth for \$100.00. No discounts can be allowed on collections as they are always quoted at reduced prices.

## HOW TO REMIT

Send remittance by post office order, express money order, check or bank draft to C. H. Smith, Box 427, Faribault, Minnesota.

Ratings are based on 100 being perfect. The name or abrivation of the originator is given in parenthesis following the variety name. (B) Brand, (Cr.) Crousse, (K) Kelway, (L) Lemonine, (D) Dessert.

## PEONIES

ADOLPHE ROSSEAU. (D. & M.) 85. Very large semi-double purple garnet. Tall stiff stems. One of the very best early dark reds. \$1.00.

ALBERT CROUSSE. (Cr.) 86. A good standard late midseason light pink of bomb shape. \$1.00.

ARCHIE BRAND. (B.) 75. A handsome globular midseason soft pink of delightful fragrance. \$1.00

avalanche. (Cr.) 87. Very large white. Fragrant. Late midseason. Extra fine. 75c.

BARONESS SCHROEDER. (K.) 90. Opens blush, changing to pure white. One of the world's best peonies. \$1.00.

BEN FRANKLIN. (B.) Medium early, brilliant crimson. Tall. Fine cut flower. Very prolific bloomer. 75c.

BRAND'S MAGNIFICENT. (B.) Tall. Deep, dark red with bluish cast. Midseason. \$2.00.

CHARLES McKELLIP. (B.) 78. Deep bright red. Midseason. Very fine shape. \$1.00.

CHERRY HILL. (Thurlow). 86. Rich deep garnet. \$2.00.

CLAIRE DUBOIS. (Cr.) 87. Extra fine globe shape pink. Late midseason. Very large. \$1.00.

CLEMENCEAU. (D.) 85. Very late, large pink on tall vigorous plant. \$3.00.

**COMMANDER.** (B.) A gigantic bloom on tall stout stems, thick as a lead pencil. A late mid-season red. It is quite fragrant and surely well named. **\$5.00.**

**COURONNE D'OR.** (Calot). 81. One of the very finest late midseason whites. Profuse bloomer. Delicate pond lily odor. Strong plant. **40c, 3 for \$1.00.**

**DELICATISSIMA.** 76. Midseason pink. One of the finest and most profuse blooming and best all-around pinks. Fragrant. **40c, 3 for \$1.00.**

**DUCHESS DE NEMOURS.** (Calot). 81. Mid-season. Sulphur white, changing to pure white. Large and fine. **50 cents.**

**E. B. BROWNING.** (B.) 92. White. Late. An immense flower and one of the most beautiful that the world knows. **\$3.50.**

**EDULIS SUPERBA.** (Lemon.) 76. Pink. Large loose crown type and deliciously fragrant. Stands up straight and tall, a free bloomer, and the earliest large bright pink in peonydom. Beautiful in half opened bud stage, and sometimes open here on Decoration Day. **40 cents, 3 for \$1.00.**

**ENCHANTRESSE.** (L.) Large creamy, late white. Crimson tracings, tall plant. **\$2.50.**

**ETTA.** Very fine, very fragrant, very late pink. We know you will be pleased with the delicious fragrance and great beauty of this fine late pink. **\$1.00.**

**EUGENE BIGOT.** A very fine late midseason dark red. **\$1.00.**

**EUGENIE VERDIER.** (Calot). 86. A very much admired early midseason pink on very tall stout stems. Fine cut flower. **\$1.00.**

**FARIBAULT.** (B.) 82. Deep pink. A fine late of large size. Free bloomer and good cut flower. **75c, 3 for \$2.00.**

**FELIX CROUSSE.** (Cr.) 84. This is without doubt the finest one-color red in cultivation. Large deep rose red and a wonderful bloomer. Midseason. No collection should be without this peony. **75c. 3 for \$2.00.**

**FESTIVA MAXIMA.** (Meillez). 93. Every peony grower knows this the greatest early white. Strong grower. Long stems. Center petals flaked with crimson. **40 cents, 3 for \$1.00.**

FRANCES WILLARD. (B.) 91. White. Opens a beautiful blush with an occasional carmine touch changing later to pure white. \$2.00.

GALATHEE. (L.) 81. Large tall full double flesh white. Fragrant. \$2.50.

GEORGIANA SHAYLOR. (SHAYLOR). 89. Mid-season pink. \$3.00.

GRANDIFLORA. (Richardson). 88. Pink, the best very late pink. Very fragrant. If you want peonies when all other kinds are gone, get this one. 50 cents.

GROVER CLEVELAND. (Terry). 82. Fine dark crimson. \$1.00.

HANSINA BRAND. (B.) I consider this the finest light pink of Mr. Brand's recent introductions. Very fragrant and almost as handsome in shape as LE CYGENE. \$50.00 net.

HENRY AVERY. (B.) Light pink. Large size and delicate fragrance. \$3.00.

JAMES KELWAY. (K.) 87. Fragrant rose white changing to milk white. Midseason. \$1.00.

JEANNOT. (D.) 92. Delicate lavender pink. Extra fine, late. \$5.00.

JUBILEE. (Pleas). 89. White. Extra large. Very beautiful. \$1.00.

JUDGE BERRY. (B.) 86. A very early, very large, fine fragrant flower. Opens flat. \$4.00.

KARL ROSENFIELD. (Rosenfield). 88. A large globular brilliant red. Strong stems and one of the very best keepers as a cut flower. \$1.00.

KELWAY'S GLORIOUS. (K.) 98. White. One of the largest and best of the new white. Fragrant midseason. \$8.00.

LADY ALEXANDRA DUFF. (K.) 91. Pink. Flat, beautiful flowers. Early, tall free bloomer. Back of the flower near stem flushed pink. \$1.50.

LA FRANCE. (L.) 90. Late midseason. La France pink, finishing apple blossom pink, with splash of crimson through outer guard petals. \$4.00.

LA TULIPE. (Calot). 75. Pink. Medium large flat rose type. Lilac white, fading to creamy white. Outer guard petals striped carmine. Most beautiful in half-opened bud stage. Midseason. Splendid keeper as a cut flower. Fragrant. 40c 3 for \$1.00.

LE CYGNE. (L.) 99. White. Rose type, mid-season. Stout stems. The most perfect in form of all peonies. \$6.00.

LIVINGSTONE. (Cr.) 81. Pink. A beautiful large, late, compact, soft lilac rose with central petals flecked carmine. Very stout stems. 75c.

LONGFELLOW. (B.) 90. One of the most brilliant and striking reds of the whole list. Early midseason. Vigorous grower. \$2.00.

LORA DEXHEIMER. (B.) 84. Red. Large flaming crimson. Early and very free bloomer. \$1.50.

LOVELINESS. (Hollis). 88. Pink. Large, flat hydrangea pink flowers on stout stems. \$1.50.

LUETTA PFEIFFER. (B.) Large semi-double pinkish white blooms. Early. \$4.00.

MABEL FRANKLIN. (Franklin). 90. Fine Fragrant light pink with darker pink center. \$5.00.

MARIE CROUSSE. (Cr.) 89. Pink. Full globular flower on long stems. \$1.50.

MARIE LEMOINE. (Calot). 85. White. The largest and most fragrant late white. Very fine 75 cents.

MARTHA BULLOCH. (B.) 91. Late midseason. The largest and finest pink of the original Brand introductions. Mammoth blooms on stout stems. You will be proud to own one. \$4.50.

MARY BRAND. (B.) 87. Red. One of the very finest midseason reds. A great cut flower. \$1.00.

MESSONIER. (Cr.) 65. Red. Sometimes called American Beauty rose. A brilliant midseason red on long wiry stems. Fine cut flower. 50 cents.

MIDNIGHT. (B.) 73. Large loose, medium early, very dark red. \$1.00.

MIKADO. (Barr.) 86. Dark red Japanese. Best known of all the Japs. \$2.00.

MILTON HILL. (Richardson). 90. Beautiful flesh pink, tinted salmon pink. \$3.00.

MONSIEUR DUPONT. (Calot). 83. White. Late midseason. An immense white of great beauty. Prolific bloomer every year. 75c.

MONSIEUR JULES ELIE. (Cr.) Pink. Very large, compact bomb-shaped bloom. Fragrant. An excellent keeper. \$1.00.

MONSIEUR MARTIN CAHUZAC. (D.) 83. One of the very finest dark reds. \$2.50.

MOSES HULL. (B.) Pink. A large fragrant mid-season flower of much beauty. \$1.00.

MME. EMIL GALLE. (Cr.) 85. A glorious late pink of fine fragrance and beautiful shape. \$1.00.

MME. EMIL LEMOINE. (L.) 89. A handsome strong growing early midseason white of large size that is sure to please you. \$1.00.

MME. DE VERNEVILLE. (Cr.) 79. White. If I could have but one white this would be my choice. Central petals open rose white with carmine touches. Deliciously fragrant. A wonderful free bloomer even on young plants. Our best white cut flower. With us it always comes as early and usually one or two days earlier than *Festiva Maxima*. It is a gem and rated far too low. 40 cents; 3 for \$1.00.

MME. FOREL. (Cr.) 77. Pink. A fine large tall glossy fragrant flower. \$1.00.

MME. GEISSLER. (Cr.) 79. Pink. An erect bright pink of massive size. \$1.00.

MME. JULES DESSERT. (D.) 94. One of the finest of all peonies. White, tinged with delicate pink, splashed carmine. \$2.50.

OCTAVIE DEMAY. (Calot). 85. Very early flesh pink. Free bloomer. \$1.00.

OFFICINALIS RUBRA. Deepest bright red and also the earliest. Nearly always in bloom here for Decoration Day. \$1.00

OFFICINALIS ROSEA. Same type of plant and flower as *Officinalis Rubra*, but dark pink and two days earlier. \$1.00.

PHILIPPE RIVOIRE. (Riviere). 92. Red. A very fine bright crimson. The most fragrant of all reds and a fine show flower. Midseason. \$10.00.

PHOEBE CAREY. (B.) 88. A wonderful fine late fragrant pink that has not yet been fully appreciated. Fine as *Therese*. \$3.00.

PRIMEVERE. (L.) 86. Yellow. The best yellow. \$1.50.

RACHEL. (Terry). Red. A medium size early midseason dark red usually having but one bloom on a stem. Best red cut flower of its season with us. 75 cents; 3 for \$1.50.

RAOUL DESSERT. (D.) 90. Large globular fragrant, shell pink. Tall stout stems. \$5.00.

REINE HORTENSE. (Calot). 87. Also called

President Taft. A tall growing free blooming large hydrangea pink flecked with crimson. \$1.50.

RICHARD CARVEL. (B.) 88. Red. Immense globular bomb. The earliest high-grade red of all. Comes with Edulis Superba. Stands erect on stiff stems. Always blooms the first year after setting out. Fragrant; free bloomer. \$3.00.

RUBRA SUPERBA. (Richardson). 72. Red. The very best late red. Does not bloom freely till the third year but is well worth waiting for. 75 cents; 3 for \$2.00.

SARAH BERNHARDT. (L.) 90. Late midseason apple blossom pink of semi-rose type. \$1.50.

SHENANDOAH. (B.) Very late red with stout stem. Pleasing fragrance. \$1.00.

SOLANGE. (L.) 97. Cream. Midseason. Globular flowers with crested tuft in center. \$3.00.

SOUVENIR DE LOUIS BIGOT. (D.) 91. Brilliant rose turning to salmon pink. Very fine. \$3.00.

THERESE. (D.) Pink. Rose type. Early midseason. Enormously large flowers, produced very freely on stout stems. \$2.50.

TOURANGELLE. (D.) 94. Pink. Rose type. Late midseason. Very fine. \$2.50.

VENUS. (K.) Pink. Very large compact crown, pale hydrangea pink, large petals. Tall free bloomer. A very popular cut flower. \$1.00.

VICTOIRE DE LA MARNE. (D.) 83. Large globular amaranth red. \$2.00.

WALTER FAXON. (Richardson). 93. Medium size globular bright rose, deepening towards the center. Midseason. Extra fine. \$3.00.

WINNIFRED DOMME. (B.) Red. An intense scarlet red on stout stems, carrying but one bloom each. The reddest red in peonydom. Destined to become very popular when well known. Every collector should have one. \$1.00.

#### PEONY COLLECTION NO. 1—\$5.00

Pink—Edulis Superba (very early)	\$ .40
Pink—Mons Jules Elie, (early)	1.00
Pink—Delicatissima (midseason)	.40
Pink—Grandiflora (very late, very fine)	.75
White—Festiva Maxima (early)	.40
White—Madame De Verneville (early)	.40



White—Couronne D'Or (very fine late) .....	.40
Red—Rachel (early midseason) .....	.75
Red—Felix Crousse (late midseason) .....	.75
Red—Rubra Superba (best, very late) .....	.75
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	\$6.00

### PEONY COLLECTION NO. 2—\$10.00

Adolph Rousseau (early red) .....	\$ 1.00
Chas McKellip (midseason red) .....	1.00
Brand's Magnificent (midseason red) .....	2.00
Winnifred Domme (late midseason red) .....	1.00
Baroness Schroeder (late midseason white) ....	1.00
Avalanche (midseason white) .....	.75
Venus (midseason pink) .....	1.00
Archie Brand (pink) .....	1.00
Faribault (late pink) .....	.75
Etta (late pink) .....	1.00
Eugenie Verdier (early pink) .....	1.00
Ligingstone (late midseason pink) .....	.75
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	\$12.25

### PEONY COLLECTION NO. 3—\$18.00

Commander (late red) .....	\$ 5.00
Richard Carvel (early red) .....	3.00
Jeannot (late pink) .....	5.00
Martha Bulloch (midseason & late pink) ....	4.50
Le Cygne (early to midseason white) .....	6.00
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	\$23.50

The above collections are real bargains. All roots included in them are regular size 3 to 5 eyes. Most of them have already been reduced in price this year so that with the further reduction in collections we know our prices are as low as first class stock can be bought from any reliable grower. And remember we pay postage or express if your order is \$10.00 or more.

### IRIS

Orders of \$1.00 or more postpaid except as noted.

Just be sure they are planted where water will run off quickly. They can stand all kinds of hot weather with good drainage. Pack soil well around roots but do not cover rhizome (the fleshy part of

root) more than about 1-2 inch with soil. May be planted any time ground is not frozen, but best time is August.

The standard (S) is the upright part of the flower and the falls (F) the lower part.

**AFTERGLOW.** (Sturtevant). Delicate misty lavender shading to buff. 36 in. 35c; 3 for \$1.00.

**ALCAZAR.** (Vilmorin). S. light bluish violet, F. deep reddish purple. 42 in. 35 cents; 3 for \$1.00.

**AMBASSADEUR.** (Vilm). S. reddish purple. 40 in. 35 cents; 3 for \$1.00.

**AMERICAN BLACK PRINCE.** S. lilac purple, F. velvety purple, very early. 24 in. 25c; 3 for 40c.

**ASIA.** (Yeld). S. pale lavender, F. light violet. 48 in. \$1.00.

**ANN PAGE.** (Hort). Fine self colored lavender blue. 36 in. \$1.00.

**APACHE.** (Farr). S. coppery purple, F. dark crimson brown. \$1.50.

**AUREA.** (Jacques). A pure rich yellow with deep orange beard. 30 in. 25c; 3 for 60c.

**CAPRICE.** Rich wine color. Fragrant. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.

**CRIMSON KING.** A fine early deep purple. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.

**DREAM.** (Sturt). Clear rose pink. Rightly named. 36 in. 35 cents; 3 for \$1.00.

**DR. BERNICE.** S. bronze, F. crimson. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.

**FAIRY.** 80. 36 in. Lavender white. Delicate blue tracings. Beautiful and very fragrant. 20 cents; 3 for 40 cents.

**FRYER'S GLORY.** (Fryer). S. Golden bronze, F. bright velvety maroon. 30 in. 25 cents.

**GEORGIA.** (Farr). One of the best early rose pinks. 30 in. 50 cents.

**HER MAJESTY.** 73. Late midseason. S. soft rose pink, F. same shade viened red. A handsome iris. 30 in. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.

**HONORABILIS.** S. orange yellow, F. same color edged brown. Fine for early blooms. 15 cents; 3 for 30 cents.

**JUANITA.** A beautiful soft blue. 25c; 3 for 50c.

**KATHRYN FRYER.** (Fryer). S. clear sulphur yellow, F. velvety carmine. 34 in. 25 cents.

**LENT WILLIAMSON.** (Williamson.) S. broad

lavender violet, F. broad violet purple. 40 in. 25c.  
LORD OF JUNE. (Yeld.) S. broad light blue, F. deep lavender and old gold. Handsome, 36 in. 35c.  
LORELY. 79. (G. and K.) S. canary yellow, F. purple margined yellow. 30 in. Vigorous plant free bloomer. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
MME. CHEREAU. 74. (Lemon.) 40 in. S. and F. pure white with frilled lavender edges. A handsome cut flower. 2 for 25 cents; \$1.00 per dozen.  
MANDRALISCAE. 73. S. beautiful lavender, F. bright purple. 3 feet. Very early vigorous plant. Free bloomer. 25c; 3 for 50 c; \$1.50 per doz.  
MITHRAS. Beautiful yellow and brown. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
MONSIGNOR. 84. (Vim). S. violet, F. heavily veined deep purple. 24 inches. Handsome. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
MORNING SPLENDOR. (Shull.) S. petunia violet F. rich purple. General effect rich red. 48 in. \$1.50.  
MOTHER OF PEARL. (Sturt). S. and F. pale bluish lavender as indicated by its name. 40 in. 35 cents.  
 OSSIAN. S. canary yellow, F. raspberry purple. Late tall and handsome. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
PERFECTION. 81. (Barr). 30 in. S. Lavender flecked a deeper shade, F. deep velvety blue purple. 30 in. Very attractive. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
PRINCESS BEATRICE. (Barr). S. and F. large light lavender violet. Fine. 40 in. 35 cents.  
PROSPER LAUGIER. 83. (Verdier). 28 inches. S. bronze, F. velvety crimson purple. Very striking. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
PROSPERO. (Yeld). S. pale lavender, F. reddish purple. 40 in. 50 cents.  
PUMILA Baby iris. Very early dwarf purple. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
QUAKER LADY. 84. S. smoky lavender, F. ageratum blue and old gold. A most pleasing soft color. 36 in. 2 for 25 cents; 75 cents per dozen.  
REV. A. H. WURTELE. (Fryer). S. purpl bronze, F. rich velvety purple veined brown. Fragrant. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.  
RHEIN NIXE. 84. (G. & K.) S. pure white, F. purple violet bordered white, 3 feet. A fine landscape variety. Always attracts visitors. Vigorous

grower, very stout stalks. Blooms nearly a month.  
2 for 25 cents; 75 cents per dozen.

RUBELLA. S. blue purple, F. reddish purple. 30 in. Late, very attractive. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents

SEMINOLE. (Farr). S. soft violet rose, F. rich velvety crimson. One of the best of the red iris. 30 inches. 35 cents each; 3 for \$1.00.

SOUVENIR DE MADAME GAUDICHAU. (Millet). S. and F. rich deep purple. One of the very best 36 in. 50 cents.

SUSAN BLISS. (Bliss) Beautiful rose pink. 75c.

VIRGINIA MOORE. (Shull). S. and F. bright chrome yellow. 36 in. 35c; 3 for \$1.00.

WYOMISSING. 72. Creamy white suffused soft rosy pink. Fine for massing, very free bloomer. 25 cents; 3 for 50 cents.

Below is a special offer for mass or border planting, good while stock lasts.

### IRIS FOR BORDERS

	100		100
Honorabilis .....	\$3.00	Sherwin Wright .....	4.00
Mandraliscae .....	4.00	Rhein Nixe .....	4.00
Quaker Lady .....	4.00	Mme. Chereau .....	4.00
Rev. Wurtele .....	4.00		

Above quantity prices are not postpaid unless order amounts to \$5.00. 25 of any one kind will be supplied at the 100 rate.

### TULIPS

Tulip bulbs should be planted in October or early November about 4 inches deep where the drainage is good. They enjoy a sandy loam soil, but will do well on heavy soils if planted where melting snow will immediately drain away. When ground is frozen solid cover with 2 or 3 inches of straw or litter, which should be removed early in April.

They may be left in one location for several years or may be dug each July, stored thinly in a cool dry place and again planted in October or early November.

The tulip bulbs quoted below are all No. 1 size, imported bulbs that will give the largest blooms under good conditions. The recent tariff law increased the duty on tulips.

## DARWIN TULIPS

(Orders for \$2.00 or more postpaid)

	doz.	100
Farncombe Sanders, tall bright crimson..	.75c	\$5.00
Clara Butt, soft pink, very fine .....	.75c	5.00
Inglescombe Yellow, best bright yellow....	.75c	5.00
Rev. Ewbank, beautiful lavender .....	.75c	5.00
Princess Elizabeth, bright pink .....	.75c	5.00
Pride of Haarlem, early glowing red .....	.75c	5.00
La Tulipe Noire, the black tulip .....	.90c	

## BREEDER TULIPS

Ten named varieties separately labelled or mixed if desired. Dozen 85c; 100 for \$5.50. Deduct 5c per doz. and 25c per 100 if not mailed.

## REGAL LILIES

Are perennials but usually start so early in the spring unless planted very deep, 10 or 12 inches, that they freeze off in May so it is best to plant them in the spring about early May, 6 or 8 inches deep. They bloom in July and are very beautiful. Blooming size bulbs, circumference 6 inches. 20c each. Doz. \$2.00, postpaid, if order is for 6 or more.

## CROWN LILLIES

This lily is a species of Elegans. It is bright orange red, blooms in June, with a cluster of 5 to 9 beautiful blooms on the crown. It attracts attention of all visitors at once. May be planted in fall or spring and always blooms freely the first season. Large bulbs, 3 for \$1.00 postpaid.

## DELPHINIUMS

\$1.00 orders Postpaid

Belladonna, light blue, and Bellamosum, dark blue, spring shipment 1½ year clumps doz. \$2.00. Early August 1930 seedlings for shipment in April or May, will bloom from July till November. 3 doz. \$1.00.

Hybrids, Wrexham strain seedlings same prices as Belladonna and Bellamosum seedlings.

## PANSY PLANTS

We grow thousands of Pansy plants and sell both wholesale and retail. America is the very finest strain of pansies on the market today. In mammoth size, variety and brilliance of colors they are in a class of their own. Strong plants in bloom in April and May. 2 doz. for \$1.00, postpaid in first 5 zones

Young pansy plants for October planting that will bloom next spring. 6 doz. for \$1.00, postpaid.

## GLADIOLUS

I grow more than 150 varieties of gladiolus. My new price list will be ready in February, 1931, and, of course, it's free. Better ask me to put your name on my mailing list if interested in that most wonderful summer cut flower the gladiolus.

## A CLOSING WORD

All my peonies and iris are grown on ground that never grew them before and are thus healthy and free from disease.

I give careful, personal attention to and pack every order. I dig and divide all peonies myself priced at \$2.00 or more. I shall do everything humanly possible to please you. On this basis I solicit your orders.

Yours for fine flowers,

C. H. SMITH

## REFERENCE

Citizens National Bank, Faribault, Minn.

